

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Ruutu VILLE et al.  
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**REQUEST FOR CLARIFICATION OF OFFICE ACTION**

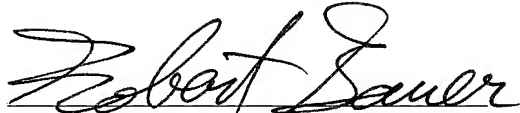
Sir:

Applicants acknowledge the Office Action dated January 3, 2007. All of the pending claims (claims 29-56) are rejected as being anticipated by Bodin (Pat. No. 6,122,512).

However, the rejection addresses only the features recited in independent claim 29. Applicant is unable to reply to the rejection of dependent claims 30-37, 45 and 46 since the rejection is not clear with respect to the additional features of these claims. Applicants thus request that the rejection of dependent claims 30-37, 45 and 46 be clarified by explaining the reliance on the Bodin patent more fully. Applicants also request that they have an opportunity of at least one month in which to respond to any corrected or supplemental Office Action.

Applicants do not believe any fees are due with this Request. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, which may be required with this communication, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 10-0100 (NOKIA.4011US).

Respectfully Submitted,

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